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In re application of:

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For: NUCLEIC ACIDS ENCODING
PROTEINS INVOLVED IN SENSORY
TRANSDUCTION

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37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825

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Sir:

In order to comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825, Applicants submit herewith the required paper copy and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing. Please amend the specification in adherence with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825 as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please cancel the present informal "SEQUENCE LISTING", pages 56-64, and insert therefor the accompanying paper copy of the Sequence Listing, page numbers 1 to 21, at the end of the application. Cancel the page numbers of the Claims and Abstract and renumber as pages 56-67, accordingly.